

Inyo National Forest



- Forest Plan Revision
 - Begin assessment in FY12
 - Determine deficiencies in our existing Forest Plan
 - Air, soil and water resources and quality
 - Terrestrial ecosystems, aquatic ecosystems, and watersheds
 - Assess multiple use and how it contributes to economies.
 - Revise Plan when assessment complete
 - We are to have integrated desired condition statements
 - not split up by timber, grazing, recreation, etc.

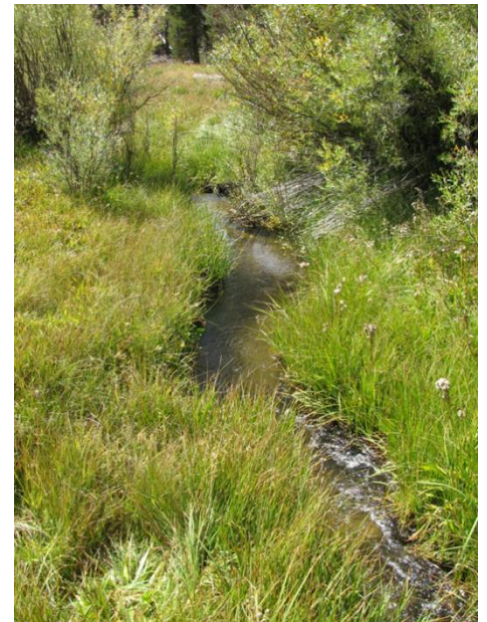
Current Watershed-Related Projects

- Watershed Condition Assessments
 - Priority Watersheds
 - Deadman Creek – New Wild and Scenic River and Wilderness
 - focus on roads
 - Oak Creek – Fire, flood and mudslide – focus on recovery
- Route Designation Process
 - Currently working on implementation – 1/3 complete and more planned for summer 2012 and 2013
 - Subpart A – existing road system



Current Watershed-Related Projects

- Kern Plateau Grazing Allotments EIS
 - Templeton & Whitney Allotments rested for 10 years, now we are re-visiting all Kern Plateau Allotments.
- Restoration Projects
 - Kern Plateau Grazing Allotments : meadow and stream restoration
 - Meadows – restoring water table and meadow vegetation
 - Roads and Trails – Reducing erosion, improving drainage and repairing stream crossings



Collaboration

- Inyo-Mono IRWM
- Stakeholder involvement on projects
 - Travel Management, as part of EA
- Future collaborative Efforts Planned
 - Kern Plateau EIS Collaborative Group